COPYRIGHT CLAIMS BOARD

Docket number: 26-CCB-0725
November 25, 2026

Takiya Robinson
CLAIMANT

V.

Vonya Edwards
RESPONDENT

ORDER TO AMEND NONCOMPLIANT CLAIM

The Copyright Claims Board (Board) finds that your claim does not comply with the requirements of the CASE Act and related regulations. The claim cannot move forward unless it is amended.

If you wish to proceed with this claim, you must file an amended claim by **December 28, 2026**. If you do not, the Board must dismiss your claim without prejudice, although you may file again in the future before the Board or in federal court. If you file an amended claim and it is found compliant, you will be notified and directed to proceed with service. There is no additional filing fee for an amended claim. 17 U.S.C. § 1506(f)(1)(B).

To make your amended claim compliant, you must resolve the issues identified below. **37 C.F.R. § 224.1(c)(2)**. You may also choose to correct or edit any errors or other information in your claim before you file it again. You do not need to provide a legal argument in your claim – just a statement of facts and circumstances. Being specific in your description gives the other party and the Board more information about your claim. There is no character limit, so please be as detailed as possible.

Allegedly Infringing Activity

Your claim does not present enough facts to clearly state how the respondent used your exclusive rights in the allegedly infringed work without permission.

Copyright law grants exclusive rights to copyright owners. These include the right to reproduce, distribute, and publicly perform the work, and to make a "derivative work," which is a work based on the original work. Someone who does one of those activities without the copyright owner's permission may be infringing the copyright, unless they have a legitimate defense. More information about exclusive rights is available on page 3 of the **Starting an Infringement Claim** chapter of the CCB Handbook.

You identify a pictorial or graphic work titled "Mind Chaos Brew Self" and allege that the respondent reproduced the entire work by replaying approximately 70 seconds of your YouTube livestream during her own livestream on October 18, 2026. However, your claim does not clearly explain what specific artwork appeared in your footage or how the respondent allegedly reproduced it. The referenced livestream appears to contain moving imagery, rather than simply displaying a static photograph. As a result, it is unclear what specific material within the livestream constitutes the allegedly infringed work.

If you file an amended claim, please clearly describe the specific copyrighted artwork you allege the respondent infringed, identify where it appears in your original livestream, and explain precisely what the respondent allegedly copied or displayed. Please clarify whether the work is a still image, moving imagery, or some other type of artwork, and distinguish it from the surrounding livestream footage. In particular, please explain whether you are alleging that the respondent copied a specific image appearing within your livestream or some portion of the moving footage itself, and identify the specific material you contend was copied. For instance, you should describe whether the artwork was incidental to your video and how your video was used or whether respondent was attempting to show your artwork specifically. You should submit copies of your work, your video, and the allegedly infringing video or other materials showing how the respondent allegedly used your work, if available. Copies should be submitted rather than hyperlinks because material available through hyperlinks may change or become unavailable. Thus, when making a final determination, the Board cannot rely on material that is referred to only through a hyperlink and is not uploaded to the claim. Any supplemental documents should be clearly labeled and identified in a manner that explains their relevance to your claim so that the Board can readily determine what each document is intended to show.

More information about the elements required to assert a claim of copyright infringement is available in the **Starting an Infringement Claim** chapter of the CCB Handbook.

To submit an amended claim, log into your eCCB account and take the following steps:

1. From your dashboard, click the "**Amend claim**" button and select your docket number from the dropdown list.
2. Your claim will unlock for editing. The information you originally entered will appear in the same order as in your original claim.
3. Make the necessary edits. If you have filed supplemental documents, you must re-upload any documents you wish to include in the amended claim on the "**Documentation**" page. Please include only documents directly related to your claim, and label them clearly.
4. Once you have completed your edits, continue to click through the fillable claim form until you reach the "**Review"** page. The Review page includes all the information that you have provided in the claim up to this point. Carefully double-check the information on this page. If you have any corrections, you can select "**Edit**" to revise any entries necessary. Each section of information has an "**Edit**" button, which will take you back to that section so you can make changes. After you make changes, you can click "**Save & review**" to return to the Review page. Please review your claim carefully. Once you submit your amended claim, you will be unable to edit the claim while it is in compliance review.
5. Once you have completed your review and any revisions, you must confirm that the information in your claim is accurate and truthful to the best of your knowledge. To complete the declaration, type your full name into the "**Digital signature**" box near the bottom of the "**Review filing**" page and click "**Agree & submit**."

If you have questions, please contact **asktheboard@ccb.gov**. Include your docket number in the subject line. The Board is unable to provide legal advice. We can provide only legal information and assistance concerning Board procedures and requirements. If you would like to seek further guidance from a lawyer or a law student at reduced or no cost, please visit the **Pro Bono Assistance** page on ccb.gov. You may also refer to the **Compliance Review** chapter of the CCB Handbook for more assistance.

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